

The Bethel News.

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DIRECTORY.

We are pleased to publish the following directory for the benefit of our citizens and visitors, and to insure correctness the News should be promptly notified when changes occur.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen—S. B. Twitchell, C. E. Barker, West, F. J. Russell, Clerk, L. T. Barker; Treasurer, W. W. Hastings; Supt. of Schools, H. H. Hastings; School Committee, Z. W. Bartlett, East; N. F. Brown, Miss Susie Twitchell, Town Agent A. E. Herrick; Collector, H. H. Bean; Auditor, Calvin Bisbee.

MAIL SERVICE.

Mails Close.
Going East, 3:40 a. m., 3:15 p. m.
Closed mail for Portland and Boston, 8 p. m.
Mails Arrive.
From East, 10:50 a. m., 4:50 p. m.
From West, 9:15 a. m., 3:45 p. m.

CHURCHES.

Methodist Episcopal, Main street, Rev. O. S. Pillsbury, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.; Junior League meeting, 3 p. m.; Prayer meeting Sunday, 7:30 p. m.; Class meeting, Tuesday 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League and Church Prayer meeting, Friday 7:30 p. m.

Universalist, Church street, Rev. F. E. Barton, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.

Congregational, Church street, Rev. Arthur Varley, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p. m. Junior S. C. E., 4 p. m. Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Union Church, West Bethel, supplied by Rev. Arthur Varley and Rev. F. E. Barton. Sunday—Preaching, 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 3:30 p. m.

LIBRARY.

Public Library, Broad street. Open Wednesday, from 6 to 8 p. m.; Saturday, 4 to 8 p. m. Over 2000 volumes. Mrs. G. R. Wiley, President; Annie Frye, Secretary; Mrs. O. M. Mason, Treasurer; Mrs. L. T. Barker, Librarian.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M.—H. C. Rowe, W. M.; Wilfred Bowler, S. W.; E. H. Young, J. W.; M. W. Chandler, Treasurer; D. G. Lovejoy, Secretary. Meets second Thursday of each month.
Mt. Abram Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 31—E. S. Kilborn, N. G.; Rufus Skillings, F. J. Tyler, Rec. Sec.; S. I. French, Treas. Friday evenings.
Sunset Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 64—Alice J. Farwell, N. G.; Lydia E. Parker, V. G.; Anna B. French, Rec. Sec.; Marcia Hastings, Fin. Sec.; Ellen M. Eubank, Treas. Meets first and third Monday of each month.

Bethel Grange, No. 56—F. E. Bean, W. M.; Bertha Valentine, N. G.; Gipsy Barker, Sec. Meets every other Saturday at two o'clock.

Sudbury Col., No. 50, U. O. P. F.—J. C. Billings, Gov.; E. C. Park, Sec.; E. S. Kilborn, Treas. Meets the first and third Monday of each month.

Bethel Lodge, No. 27, J. O. U. A. M.—C. O. Foster, C. S. A. Gibson, R. S.; F. J. Tyler, P. S.; Harry Jordan, Treas. Meets the second and fourth Tuesday in each month.

Brown Post, No. 84, G. A. R.—A. H. Hutchinson, P. C. Meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Brown Post, W. R. C., No. 36—Miss E. E. Burnham, Pres.; Mrs. C. S. Little, Sec.; Miss Angie Chapman, Treas. Meets the first and third Thursday of each month.

United Order of Golden Cross No. 494—N. C. E. Burnham, W. T. Calvin Bisbee, F. K. R. S. W. Grover; K. of R. F. W. Bisbee.

CORPORATIONS.

Bethel Savings Bank—S. B. Twitchell, Pres.; A. E. Herrick, Treas.

Bethel Manufacturing Co.—J. H. Barrows, Pres.; W. H. Winslow, Treas. and General Manager.

Bethel Water Co.—Enoch Foster, Pres.; A. E. Herrick, Treas.

Bethel Dairying Co.—W. E. Abbott, Manager.

Riverside Park Association—C. M. Wormell, Pres.; E. C. Rowe, Treas.

Bethel Light Co.—E. C. Bowler, Pres.; W. W. Hastings, Treas.

SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

Ladies' Club, Congregational—Pres. Mrs. F. S. Chandler; Vice Pres., Hattie Foster; Sec., Mrs. Hattie Richardson; Treas., Mrs. F. B. Tuell. Meets Thursday afternoon.

Ladies' Circle, Universalist—Mrs. L. A. Pratt, Pres.; Mrs. G. R. Wiley, Vice Pres.; Mrs. L. B. Hopkins, Sec.; Mrs. E. C. Rowe, Treas. Meets Wednesday afternoon.

Ladies' Church Aid Society, Methodist—Mrs. Alice Jordan, Pres.; Mrs. C. Bisbee, Vice Pres.; Miss Ethel Morse, Sec.; Mrs. W. D. Hastings, Treas.

Columbian Club—Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Pres.; Miss Annie M. Frye, Sec.; Mrs. T. F. Hastings, Treas.

THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE NEWS MAN.

What is so rare as a day in June? To-day, if ever, is a perfect one; Heaven has tried us and found us in tune.

And sent us a few rays of sun.

Dr. Tuell was in Portland, Saturday.

D. H. Mason spent Sunday at Norway.

Miss Ruth King was in Norway, Saturday.

W. E. Abbott arrived in Bethel, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young were in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Young is visiting in Norway and Portland.

Rogelio Bonau visited friends at South Paris over Sunday.

Miss Gehring and Miss Mueller were in Portland, Saturday.

H. C. Rowe made a business trip to Portland the first of the week.

Will pay 60c for White Potatoes any time this week. I. C. JORDAN.

Robert C. Bisbee spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bisbee.

Roscoe C. Clark of Biddford was the guest of his mother and sister, last Friday.

Reduced rates and special trains for the Benefit Concert in Odeon Hall, June 17.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rowe have arrived at their summer residence on Broad street.

Will Chapman came up from Portland, Saturday night, to spend Sunday with his family.

Harold Young and Durward Mason drove to Andover, Thursday, to witness the ball game.

Mrs. John H. Wilson of Berlin, N. H., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chapman.

Mrs. John Yates with her two little daughters, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sidney Goodwin.

Miss Bertha M. Wiley returned from Smith College, last Wednesday, and will spend the summer at home.

Dr. Norman Gehring came up from Bowdoin, Wednesday, to spend a few days with friends in the village.

Help yourselves by helping others. Join the Gould's Academy Alumni Association, and help along a good cause.

Preparations are being made for between 75 and 100 to attend the Alumni Dinner. Are you not going to be one of them?

Mrs. A. B. Richardson has a chicken story to match the one last week. Her incubator brought out 41 chickens from 50 eggs.

Husbands bring your wives and wives bring your husbands to the Alumni Dinner at Garland Chapel, next Friday at one o'clock.

Dr. Sturdivant was called to Gilad last week by the authorities of the town, to vaccinate the entire population of the town.

Quite a number of Academy students accompanied the ball team to Andover, and a still larger delegation saw Gould's win the pennant at Norway, Saturday.

Remember that all those who attended school at the Academy prior to 1885, and those who have graduated since, may become regular members of the Alumni Association, also all trustees and teachers; all others may become associate members. Send in your name.

Howard Carter, who has been employed in the Berlin Mills Co.'s store at Berlin, N. H., has completed his labors in that city, and is enjoying a week's vacation at his home in Bethel, before going to Gardiner, where he has employment for the summer.

E. M. Walker has entered into a new departure. It is nothing less than the raising of Belgian hares, having one old and seven young ones as a beginning. We believe it was Mr. Walker who first introduced buffaloes into Bethel, and while it is not expected that the former will multiply as rapidly or become as popular as the latter yet it is hoped they may be longer-lived and equally profitable.

Death of Chas. E. Ryerson.

Mr. Charles E. Ryerson of Bethel died at his home in Mayville last Saturday, June 1, after an illness of several months. He had an attack of the grip last November which terminated in pneumonia, and from which he never recovered.

Mr. Ryerson was born in Newry May 17, 1840, the son of Nathan T. and Hannah L. Ryerson. Thirty-five years of his life were spent in his native town from which he went to Massachusetts where he remained some three years, and then returned to Maine and purchased the Lake House at Upton. This hotel was run by him with marked success until some eight years ago, when he came to Bethel and purchased of Moses Mason, the farm in Mayville which he has since owned, and where he lived at the time of his death.

Mr. Ryerson was one of the busiest, most energetic and successful lumbermen in Oxford County, and one that will be greatly missed among the lumbermen of this section.

He leaves a widow and one son, George E., a member of the Senior class 1901, of Gould's Academy. The Commencement week is a sad one indeed for him. The members of his class attended the funeral in a body Monday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur Varley, and the interment was at Newry.

Attention!!

All lovers of baseball will have an opportunity to appease their appetite prodigiously at Riverside Park, next Friday forenoon, when the G. A. baseball team will cross bats with a nine composed of the G. A. alumni. This will be a great game, as everybody is aware of the glorious success of the Academy nine, and everybody in years gone by has been more or less dazzled by the brilliant playing of certain members of the G. A. alumni. It would be too much to give away here, the names of those to appear in the arena, because as it is, it has been hinted that all seats on the grand stand and bleachers are engaged, and to be able to find standing room, you must start before breakfast.

The students appreciate the generosity of all those who contributed to the expense of the new uniforms, and take this opportunity to thank them for their interest and support; but in spite of this, and aside from contributions already made by teachers, students, and the individual players, the team finds itself in debt to the amount of about \$35. The proceeds of Friday's game will be applied to reduce this indebtedness, and it is hoped a big crowd will greet the players, old and new. A good game is assured, and a generous sum realized from the gate receipts, will stimulate the boys to future effort by reducing the indebtedness which threatens to dampen the zeal and enthusiasm inspired by an unusually successful season on the diamond. Come, everyone, and help us spoil the digestion of the alumni. For further particulars see small bills.

The Coming Woman.

The people of Bethel and vicinity will be favored with an opportunity, June 13, of hearing one of Missouri's most popular elocutionists, Mrs. Nellie Burger.

Western papers are enthusiastic in praise of her, both as a lecturer and an elocutionist. An Ohio paper says, "Mrs. Burger is the finest reader and lecturer that we ever had in this part of the country." An Illinois paper says, "Mrs. Nellie G. Burger gave two lectures and a reading in this city, which were pronounced by her large audiences to be the best they ever heard."

Mrs. Burger is expected to lecture at Bryant Pond June 14, at Rumford Falls the 16th, and at Buckfield the 18th, at the County Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Didn't you go to school at the Academy at one time? If so you had better join the Alumni Association and attend the banquet.

BACCALAUREATE

SERMON.

Before the Graduating Class of Gould's Academy, by Rev. Arthur Varley, June 2, 1901.

[Text—Philippians 3:13-14.]

"But one thing I do, forgetting the things which are behind, and stretching forward to the things which are before, I press on."

No man, either through effort or achievement, could be counted more worthy to lay down the principle the text here brings to us, than the great apostle to the Gentiles for, no man ever worked out this principle more thoroughly in his life than Paul did. From the most ardent persecutor of the Christian church he came to be the greatest champion of the vital principles of the Christian faith. From the theological polemic, the great controversialist, the debater of theological principles, he came to be one of the most dispassionate, most tender, most solicitous fathers of Israel. Thus from the time he went on the Damascus road breathing out like some terrible volcano, such fearful threatenings and slaughter against the Christian church, till the time when the storm and passion of his life having passed he calmly waited the end, the peace of God filling his soul, this was the principle upon which his life was built; this was the line along which it was lived out. And by reason of all that he was, and all that he did, Paul here speaks with an authority which we can neither challenge nor deny.

The principle he gives us is the principle of growth, progress, development, evolution,—a principle which is vital and fundamental. By this principle the higher grows out of, and supercedes the lower; the complete and perfect grows out of, and supercedes the incomplete and the imperfect; the good in a sense, grows out of, and takes the place of the bad; the truest and best grows out of and takes the place of the simply or nominally good. If we study the Hebrew cosmogony and take that as our only authority, or if we turn from that and kneel at the altar of science, and take what the astronomer and the geologist, and the biologist give us, or if with grateful hearts we take what both these sources offer, and combine them, and utilize all we can in the earnest search for truth relative to the existence of things, we find this to be the order of Creation. First darkness and chaos, then light and order, then the adaptation of physical conditions for the life which was to follow, then provision through vegetation for that life, then the creation of aquatic and animal life, crowned with the creation of man in the image and after the likeness of God. This is the creative power, the creative principle. This and the underlying principle of the text are identical. Upon this principle creation has made its mighty revolutions, civilization has reached its magnificent heights, nations have been low and come to greatness and power, and history has been made. Along this same line the Anglo-Saxon race has forged its way to the front in the march of nations, and is carrying to-day—as it has a right to carry—its light and its civilization, north, south, east, and west. The man who does not recognize this same principle and endeavor to order his life by it is tenfold worse than a dog.

It will be interesting, perhaps, to notice how this principle has found expression through the different activities of men, especially along theological, moral, and educational lines. For in these respects the world—moving, inevitably according to the principle of this text, and by reason of the very nature of things—has shifted its ground again and again.

From the postulation of spirit life and spirit power behind sticks and stones, and idols, to the exercise of a living faith in one living, eternal, infinite Creator and Father has been a long step, but the march has been a worthy one. There is a

wide difference between the conception of a corporeal devil carrying Christ bodily to a pinnacle of the temple, and to the top of a hill, there tempting him to sell himself, and offering Him all the kingdoms of the world for one moment of allegiance and worship, and the idea of to-day, which sees in the temptation of Christ in the Wilderness, a vivid picture of a soul under fire, fiercely tempted to sell honor and truth and purity and manhood and womanhood, for the cheap things that the world can give. The change of conception does not make temptation any the less real and fierce. It does not make the victory of temptation over the soul, any the less possible, and thank God, does not make the soul's victory over temptation any the less possible.

The old theology embraced a great deal of fatalism. It taught us that God, was a Being sitting somehow severely apart from His creation, and passing His severe judgments upon men; that every child was "a lump of perdition"; that God, for his own glory, elected some to come into his presence, and foreordained others to an eternal death. But to-day God is the Heavenly Father, preciously near to every one of His children, who is earnestly beseeching men and women everywhere to come to Him, that they might have life and eternal happiness, whose great and precious promise to mankind is that the soul that comes to Him in truth and love will in no wise be cast out. And we have discovered that childlike innocence and purity—which was once no argument against infant damnation—is the stuff out of which the Kingdom of God is built.

There has been no less improvement along moral lines. The moral improvement of the home—which is the base of all other institutions, and whose foundation principle has been changed from polyandry and polygamy to the monogamous idea of to-day—society has grown better, the moral sensibility of mankind has grown keener, and all that has been most blessed to the world in the way of Science and Literature, and Art, has been stimulated.

What is true theologically and morally is preeminently true educationally. The wide difference in the material surroundings and equipments of the schools of to-day and the schools of years gone by; the wide difference in the methods of instruction; the introduction of elective system in our higher schools, is all evidence of the fact that along educational lines men have been moving according to the principle of this text. Thus theologically, morally, and educationally we have been leaving many things behind, and pressing on to better things, to more sound, sensible, and scientific principles and standards. The results of all this are that the theological skies have brightened, the world has grown better, God is more widely known, more truly, and deeply, and reverently worshipped than ever before. These splendid results, this splendid optimism young friends, are the inheritance which time has given you, and God grant that every one of you may prove worthy of the heritage the years have brought to you.

But I want to change my argument from the strictly theological, and moral, and educational basis, and apply it to the experiences of a life. A life that does not grow, and grow according to the principle laid down in this text is out of harmony with all good, law and sound principle. Educationally young friends, you have been following the principle of the text through the months you have spent in our beloved institution. But there are better things ahead. Thus far your life and experiences have been limited. Compared with them an unlimited life, and greater and more varied experiences are before you. If you are as true as I take you to be, you will enter that life and meet those experiences with faces set toward the future, toward heaven and God. You will take what

"In times of peace prepare for war."

June is the month of all others for weddings. You are not to infer from the above two statements that married life is warfare, but that I have prepared for the numerous June weddings, by having on hand a good selection of choice

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AROUND THE WORLD.

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lawyer about a suit is a tailor.

Omaha is again a wide-open
town. Being good was too much
of a strain on its officials.

The shirt waist problem is al-
most upon us. So let us gird up
our loins—or our trousers—and
meet it bravely.

By the way, we haven't heard
yet whether the Commoner sent
a special correspondent with the
President's train.

When you hear a man begin to
talk about how to purify politics,
you may be safe in predicting that
he is wanting to run for office.

"Six into four won't go," remark-
ed a young shoe clerk of this town
the other day after trying to put a
woman's number six foot in a
number four shoe.

If all of the young sports put in
as much time, this year, cultivat-
ing a patch of potatoes as they do
in trying to cultivate a mustache,
it would make easier times.

The men who were a few days
ago filling the newspapers with
stories of their profits in Wall
Street are now using language that
cannot be printed in a family pa-
per.

A tombstone for a man who died
in 1859 has just reached Louis-
ville from Philadelphia. This
may be considered to prove that
the city of Brotherly Love is dead
slow.

Boston is to have a banquet four
hours long, beginning with food
at two p. m. and ending with oratory
at six. Possibly Boston can
stand it better than the rest of the
country.

This is the age of big things.
The Pennsylvania Railroad ex-
pects to build an \$80,000,000 bridge
across the North River, at New
York, which will have sixteen rail-
way tracks, besides trolley tracks,
driveways, bicycle paths and foot-
ways.

A West Virginia woman not on-
ly refused to sign a petition ask-
ing executive clemency for her
husband, who is under sentence of
death for murdering her brother,
but signed one asking that the law
be allowed to take its course. Her
neighbors do not agree as to
whether this is a case of blood be-
ing thicker than water, or of hat-
red.

Every newspaper editor is per-
fectly familiar with the fact that
there are lots of folks that ought
to go to a writing school; a still
greater number that ought to go
to a spelling school; a great mul-
titude that ought to go to a gram-
mar school, and more than any
man can number that ought to
take lessons in punctuation.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of
the First National Bank of Win-
terset, Iowa, in a recent letter
gives some experience with a car-
penter in his employ, that will
be of value to other mechanics.
He says: "I had a carpenter work-
ing for me who was obliged to
stop work for several days on ac-
count of being troubled with diar-
rhea. I mentioned to him that
I had been similarly troubled and
that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured
me. He bought a bottle of it from
the druggist here and informed
me that one dose cured him, and
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and west will come within the
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spirit of the Pan-American Ex-
position miles away from the great
and glorious spectacle itself. Sur-
rounding the setting of the ex-
position there are numerous features
that will rival the attractions of
the great show for public atten-
tion, and especially is this true of
Niagara Falls. There is no greater
or more wonderful eye-feast in
the world than the Falls of Niaga-
ra, the beautiful gorge, and the
dashing tumultuous waters of the
Whirlpool Rapids. If they are
alert, long before their train stops
at Niagara Falls, passengers over
the Grand Trunk Railway will
come in sight of the mighty ob-
servation tower from which search-
light signals will be flashed to the
Electric Tower of the Exposition.
In fancy one can picture the beam
of the powerful projector extend-
ing way off toward Hamilton,
Ont., to give glad welcome and
greeting to the incoming trains
laden with humanity anxious to
see the falls and the exposition.
Speeding across the wonderful
gorge, the train will carry its pas-
sengers in full view of the Falls of
Niagara and the Whirlpool Rap-
ids, while the remarkable gorge
will stretch out on either side of
the greatest railway steel arch
bridge in the world. This bridge
of the Grand Trunk Railway at
Niagara Falls is one of the won-
ders of the locality, and resting, as
it does, one end in the domain of
King Edward, the other in the
United States, it forms a portion
of the industrial bond in the
Anglo-Saxon union that forces a
realization that no matter on
which side of the Niagara we re-
side, we are all Americans—Pan-
Americans.

A Big Shipment Over the Boston and Maine.

At this the dawn of the 20th
Century, when the business en-
terprises are assuming such colos-
sal proportions, it is not surpris-
ing to find that the shipments
from these great industrial estab-
lishments increase proportionately.
Perhaps the greatest single
shipment on record was made over
the Boston & Maine Railroad, on
May 14, when a train of 58 cars,
loaded with machinery from the
Walter A. Wood Mowing and
Reaping Machine Company, was
shipped from Hoosick Falls to
Chicago. The details of that ship-
ment are as follows:

The route was over the Boston
and Maine Railroad from Hoosick
Falls to Rotterdam, thence to
Buffalo over the New York Cen-
tral, and from Buffalo to Chicago
over the Lake Shore and Michigan
Southern. 58 cars of the last nam-
ed road were used to contain the
shipment, and were run solid to
Chicago, being distributed from
there as follows: 7 cars to Illi-
nois; 4 to Missouri; 9 to Nebras-
ka; 7 to Iowa; 8 to Minnesota;
9 to South Dakota; 1 to Wiscon-
sin; 12 to Kansas; 1 to North
Dakota. The run was wholly by
daylight, and the train was decor-
ated with flags and bunting as well
as placards bearing the advertise-
ment of the shipper. The train
was given an enthusiastic send-off
at Hoosick Falls. Stores were
closed, factories ceased operations,
and whistles, bells and cannon an-
nounced the departure of this
great freight shipment. One of
the Boston and Maine's most mod-
ern freight locomotives, No. 1155,
was used in hauling the train,
which left Hoosick Falls at 9:27
a. m. and arrived at Rotterdam at
1:20 p. m. The shipment consist-
ed of 3,000 harvesting machines,
which if placed end to end, would
extend over a distance of five
miles. The total way-billed weight
of the shipment was 1,675,400
pounds, and the freight charges
amounted to \$9,692.82, while the
value of the machines is estimated
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cupied about two days in crossing
New York State, and at every
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ed.

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casion.

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ter and Grand Officers of each
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out the world, as well as many of
the members of your lodge.

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bers of your Lodge during the
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JONATHAN C. BROWN late of Albany, deceased; petition for an order of distribution of balance remaining in his estate, presented by Henry C. Park, administrator.

JOHN S. HOLT late of Bethel, deceased; final account presented for allowance by Albert C. Frost, administrator.

HENRY A. BRADEN late of Andover, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Lizzie P. Braden, executrix.

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WOMAN AND HOME.

The Muscular Young Woman. Says Dr. Arabella Kenney: "If you will compare the new muscular young woman with what she was a year or two before she went into the business of field sports and hard training, when she had as yet hardened herself physically, you will be struck with the contrast. Then her complexion was sensitive and variable. There was a mysterious something about her only to be described as 'charm.' Now she is perhaps a good looking girl. Her complexion is possibly too strong, and her glance is unswerving and direct. She inclines to be and in another year will be distinctly spare. The mechanism of movement is no longer veiled by her former mystery of motion which gave her an air of gliding rather than of striding from one place to another. In her evening gown she shows evidence of joints which had been hidden beneath soft flesh, and already her muscle has been put to the necessity of ruffling and plaiting to conceal the growing lack of roundness and fullness. Instead of physical enrichment there is physical impoverishment."

There is a disposition to attribute the increased stature of the new generation of young women to athletics, and this idea is probably correct to some extent at all events. The added height is in added length of limb mainly, a distinct approach to the masculine type of physique, inasmuch as a woman's legs are normally shorter than those of a man in proportion to her height. Any physiologist will testify that such a gain can come about only at the expense of loss elsewhere, the greater length of limb signifying degeneration of the special feminine organization. One has only to look at the bodily make-up of a properly proportioned woman to see that with her large hips and other peculiarities of physique she is not designed by nature for vigorous athletic exercises. Her function is primarily reproductive, and in this respect she soon diminishes her usefulness by the hardening process described. She falls short of being a man and is not in the full sense a woman."

Dr. Kenney says that she has never known any woman who after two years of athletics has retained any pretension to charm. Certainly the pictures of some of females who distinguish themselves markedly in contests at outdoor sports, winning prizes and making records, exhibit a deplorable average of homeliness.—Washington Post.

Objected to "My Wife." "I always hate," said the lady who was twirling her gold bowed glasses, according to the Chicago Times-Herald, "to hear a man refer to the lady whom he has wooed and won as 'my wife.' The man who says 'My wife did this' or 'My wife has gone there' or 'My wife likes so-and-so' has not a proper realization of the lady's importance or the position she should occupy in his household. 'My wife,' indeed! Pout! In the next breath she speaks of 'my horse' or 'my dog.' I'd like to have such a man for a husband a little while. I think I could teach him a few lessons that would be good for him. When a man has occasion to refer to the lady who loved herself in accepting his ring at the altar, he should speak of her as 'Mrs. Smith' or 'Mrs. Jones,' as the husband mention me as his wife! I think he would limit himself to just that once."

"And yet," said the little lady with the soft hazel eyes and the rather timid manner, "it seems to me that a man might do worse than speak of her as his wife. When your husband was over at our house night before last, Mrs. Frithington and my husband played parlor golf, and I happened to be in an adjoining room a few minutes, where I could overhear their conversation. I thought of me as his wife when Henry spoke of me as his wife. It just made my heart leap every time I heard the words come from his lips."

"Well, of course, some women are so constituted that they prefer to be regarded as inferior beings, and where a case of that kind exists it may be just as well that the husband does take it for granted that he is her proprietor. But you didn't hear John Frithington refer to me as his wife? I'll venture, I think I have succeeded in teaching him to know his place. A little too well for that?"

"No; when he spoke of you, he merely called you 'the old girl.'"

Some of John Frithington's friends seem to think that his wife, hunted look of late more in evidence than usual.

How She Caught the Burglar. A rather curious method of burglar catching was resorted to by an ingenious maid-servant recently in New York city. As the Electrical Review tells the story, while in pursuit of her household duties the maid noticed a man's foot inside the clothes closet. She did not scream; neither did she jump at the door nor shut it with a bang. Instead she took a broom room near the closet. Her approach was gradual, and the sweeping was done so naturally that it would not have aroused the most suspicious burglar. At last the broom brushed the door gently, but hard enough to close it to the fraction of an inch. With five or six more gentle sweeps that closet door was shut and almost latched, which she at length succeeded in doing by gently pressing her arm against it.

As the telephone in her house was so near the closet that the burglar would be able to hear her if she called for assistance she bethought herself of another plan. In the back yard some telephone wires were at the time making repairs on a wire that runs to another house in the block. She went out and spoke to them. They promptly tapped a wire, at one of the down town exchanges, which, in turn, got the house owner, who in his turn, called up police headquarters. From there the call was sent to the police station nearest the house, and two policemen were sent around and got the man.

To Discipline the Child. A symposium on the subject of parental duties and home discipline appeared in a leading New Zealand newspaper, and the published interview with Dr. Symes gives material for thought.

"The tendency of modern ideas," says Dr. Symes, "has been to abolish any real discipline in family life because discipline depends on the principle of headship in the father, whereas at the present time the mother is often the real head of the family. A father teaches children to obey as a duty, while a mother coaxes them to do what is required by giving them presents. The rule of the father develops respect for law and while

that of the mother develops sympathy which are the source of all that is most beautiful and attractive in human nature, but unless these sympathies are properly controlled and directed they may lead to disaster. The father's rule is that of the head or judgment; the mother's influence is that of the heart or sympathy.

"If a wife will not support her husband's rule as head of the family, she is not likely to acquire the power to make the children obey her. So that if the mother's influence predominates over the father's rule the children will grow up to do only what they find most agreeable, instead of making obedience to duty the rule of their life."

Bred In The Bone. Did you ever notice a little girl, 10 or 11 years old, short of skirt, cross a muddy street, wearing an air of importance and "striding" with her right hand the corner of her outer garment? If you haven't, you can scarcely have paid much attention to street scenes. It would require a psychological explanation to detail the reasons which move these tiny persons to go through such a ludicrous maneuver, but they do go through it, and they will continue to do so through it so long as the feminine remains eternal.

To begin with, the dresses of these little girls are usually end at the knees, and their knees are so far from the pavement as to make it impossible for the skirt to trail within less than a linear foot of the dust and dirt of the sidewalk. But this consideration has no weight with the little women. They have noted that their elder sisters and other women of their acquaintance invariably elevate the skirt when crossing—and so they follow, not always consciously, the example.

The practice is inborn and as ineradicable as it is amusing. By no stretch of imagination could one picture the short gowns coming in contact with the roadway. But the children do not stop to analyze. They just lift the skirt, gravely cross the street and as gravely lower the garb. Next time you see a little girl going to school watch her movements when she comes to a corner. There will be 60 seconds of amusement for you in the spectacle.—New York Herald.

Egypt's Lovely Khedivah. The Khedive of Egypt is one of the few eastern rulers who have lived in a genuine love story, with the heroine for his wife. The lovely Ikhbal Hanem is of the Cyprian race. She was formerly a slave of the vididi (dowager) Khedivah, at whose house she then young ruler of Egypt first saw her. As beauty gives rank in the event, the young slave's condition did not interfere with her advancement. She was courted and won by the dashing young prince and finally formally married to him and raised to the rank of Khedivah.

The happy couple model their household after the European fashion. She neither paints nor powders her face, as the custom of Egyptian women of high European servants and governesses for her children and has an open, inquiring mind.

The Khedivah has one of the most sumptuous yachts in the world. The saloons are most magnificently upholstered in white satin, brocade with pink roses, and cornices done in real gold, while the gables are hung with beautiful pictures. Her own room is decorated in pink and white, the bed with its lace trimmings, looking particularly inviting.

Drinking at Meals. Drinking at meals induces a person to eat more than he otherwise would, and excess in eating is one of the great causes for sickness. In fact, the two great dietary failings seem to be overeating and drinking of too little water at the proper or from lung gross food. Persons with abundant lung power, who exercise a great deal and breathe much, can dispose of a large quantity of food, but the more delicate and sedentary should eat moderately. A cold once taken will run its course, in spite of what may be done for it, unless it is attended to within 48 hours after its inception. The treatments vary. The cutting off of supplies by skipping a few meals is one of the principal things, for the old saying about stuffing a cold amplified into the condition and conclusion that if you stuff a cold you will have a fever to starve. Some persons assert that any cold, if taken in time, may be cured without any medicine whatever by following the simple precautions of keeping warm, going without eating for several hours and drinking largely of some sort of warm tea. Another plan is that of drinking cold water freely and going without eating.—New York Sun.

Solitary Life. An article on the life of gentlewomen of no occupation and very limited means gave some sensible enough hints on making the most of a tiny income and maintained that to live alone under such limitations is not necessarily a lonely, dull or narrow existence. The writer expressed a new impression on people thus situated, but always to be careful in regard to diet, little dishes for their daily fare. This no doubt is sensible advice, but how very few women could keep a sufficient interest in eating to take this trouble for themselves alone? This indifference to food is one of the many objections to a solitary life. For every reason it is infinitely better for those who are alone in the world to chum together. It is more healthy, more economical, more cheerful and more pleasant, above all, because it tends to prevent the gradual sinking into narrowness and selfishness which may so easily be the result of a lonely life during the later years of middle age.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Her Hands Full. "A woman in York county," says the Lewiston (Me.) Journal, "seems entitled to assistance in a certain cause, but explained that her time was so taken up with exacting duties that she would be obliged to refuse. From her detailed explanation it seems she is at the head of an organization of King's Daughters, a place that involves a great many little responsibilities; she is an organist in church, Sunday school and prayer meeting services, is the secretary of a ladies' teaching class, a member of a Bible class, Saturday afternoon and furnishes them a committee to visit the sick of the parish, takes active part in the setting up of church and public entertainments, is a member of several orders, including the

library association, and in addition to all this does all her own housework and fulfills her various social duties."

Just Woman's Way. Women, as a rule, are not strong on facts. No matter how startling or revolutionary they may be, they simply accept them, and that is the end of it. They never enthuse over them in man fashion, but keep cool and calm over announcements that would unsettle a man from head to foot. But her fancies—there is the weak, perhaps her better self—strong, point in her armor, all the stronger because of their intangibility. Any woman who has ever attempted to reason a woman out of any particular fancy she always proves the better "man" of the two and scores a victory. Perhaps, after all, it is better so. Man loves her and fancies, even if he does at times like to play the oak to the clinging vine.—Boston Herald.

Shoestrings. Like everything else there are right shoestrings and wrong. Never buy them with a flat metal tip. This is sure to pull off and leave you with a soft, blunt point to force it through creases. The proper shoestring has a tip of wire coiled to a point in a spiral. This never pulls out, and when one invents a string which never breaks or wears shabby perfection will be touched. Our nearest approach to it so far is the coiled wire tip, fastened to a tubular mohair braid for men and boys. Mothers of school children take notice of this "tip" or this "point," as you please.

Which? Max O'Rell says: "It is difficult to decide who are the most beautiful women. In the streets of Budapest and in Irish dining rooms the greatest beauty exists."

"If the law of my country made polygamy compulsory, I would make love to an English woman or a fair daughter of Virginia; I would have my house kept by a German wife; my artistic inclinations I would intrust to a Frenchwoman; my intellectual ones to an American one."

"When my life got a little dull, and I wanted my blood stirred up, I would call on my Spanish wife."

Little Economies. Teach the children not to waste trifles, which they often throw away without thought, and which if saved might be of use to others, if not to themselves. Wrapping paper, pieces of twine, odds and ends of various kinds may do service a second time if put away until the need for them arises. The habit of economy is one that ought to be cultivated, for careful saving makes lavish giving possible. Hoarding is not a vice of childhood, nor should it be encouraged, but the wise husbanding of resources for future expenditure is a valuable lesson that cannot be learned too early.

A substitute for Welsh rabbit may be made by melting half a pound of rich cheese on a hot plate over hot water, meanwhile toasting four slices of bread. This should be buttered, and the cheese, seasoned with salt and cayenne, poured over it.

Cauliflower should be placed head down in cold salted water for 10 or 15 minutes before cooking to draw insects. In boiling slightly salted water should be used, and the head should be placed downward in the kettle.

Value of Salt and Pepper. Salt and pepper, as generally considered, are of value in bringing out the flavor of the food to which they are added. That they have any value from a health standpoint is not so generally recognized. You may know that a lump of salt is good for a horse and not so for a man, consider how important salt is for your own well-being. In eastern countries the condiments, such as pepper, are used in profusion in all food. Gastric troubles are consequently absent in other countries are conspicuously absent, and the free use of pepper has much to do with that fact. Salt and pepper work against fermentation. When the stomach is out of order or upset, then there is a state of fermentation. A certain very wise physician, who has advanced to the point where drugs seem the unimportant thing and common sense the important thing in making the sick well, is advocating the use of pepper and salt even in a glass of milk. It improves the flavor to a remarkable degree, a fact you can prove to your own satisfaction by having two glasses of milk—one in its original simplicity, the other changed by the addition of a pinch of salt and a dash of pepper—and sipping a little of each. The chances are that you will prefer the seasoned milk. Besides improving the flavor and overcoming the tendency toward fermentation the pepper will practically disable any microbes that may be floating in the fluid so that the gastric juices may perform their perfect work of changing microbes to food.

She Was Fuzzed. The Baroness Bardet-Coutts was once shopping in Paris and whenever she went from one department to another she was escorted by a clerk, who handed her over to another attendant, saying, "Two ten." Struck by the peculiarity of the oft repeated cabalistic words, the baroness asked the proprietor as she left the establishment:

"Pray, what does 'two ten' mean?" I noticed that each clerk repeated it to the next as I went from one counter to the other.

"Oh, it is nothing," replied the man. "It is just a pass-word and they are in the habit of exchanging." But the baroness was not satisfied. When the porter, a mere lad, brought home her purchases, she said to him:

"My boy, would you like to earn 5 francs?" Of course, he would be charmed.

"Then tell me what 'two ten' means, and I will give you 5 francs. The youth looked at her in astonishment.

"Don't you know, madam? Why, it means, 'Keep your eyes on her ten fingers!'"

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1901.

If a man is a degenerate who combs his hair in the middle, what is one who doesn't comb it at all?

How could the same land produce two such contrasting types as Sir Thomas Lipton and Lord Dunraven?

Edison's light storage battery seems to be a success. If so, he will revolutionize transportation—and many other things for that matter.

Returning pilgrims from Buffalo report that the hotel rates there are absolutely frightful! Buffalo hotel keepers are determined to make all they can.

An Italian doctor has announced the discovery of a vaccine that will permanently prevent those who use it from taking yellow fever. Humanity will be largely his debtor if he can make good his claim.

Scientists have ceased to regard anything as impossible. Some of them are now seriously discussing schemes to utilize the electrical forces in the aurora borealis of the arctic regions to furnish men with power and light.

Officials of the Standard Oil Company, at Evansville, Ind., hung a sign on the door of their safe, reading: "Help yourself. Don't crack the safe." Burglars followed the advice the other night and took all the money there was in the unlocked safe—\$750. Somehow that sign doesn't seem so "funny" as it did.

For more than fifty years an Englishwoman (who is still living) has cherished a little sheaf of letters written by Charles Dickens. These charming letters show the novelist in a new part—that of the successful matchmaker. They tell the story of another man's courtship and show how the writer spurred a faint heart into winning a fair lady. They will be printed—for the first time—in The Saturday Evening Post of June 15.

Work is Crowned.
Notwithstanding the tremendous crowds that visited the Exposition on Dedication Day, the 21st inst. (on which day over 100,000 people passed through the gates), the streets of the City of Buffalo are crowded each day from early in the morning until late in the evening, and it is easy to see that the towns in close contiguity to the "Rainbow City" and the surrounding territory of Canada have emptied their inhabitants into Buffalo's streets. Large numbers from Toronto and other centres in Ontario and Eastern Canada have the Pan-American for their objective point and are pouring in in large numbers. Canada gave proof on Dedication Day that she is taking a deep interest in the Exposition, there being at least 4,000 Canadian visitors in the City.

The Midway is in full swing and all the attractions are well patronized, hundreds of people being turned away on Monday, as there were more people than could be accommodated who wanted to see the sights of the street.

The brilliant fireworks display was most elaborate, and the scene at night on the ground is something marvelous. The light lines of electrical illumination outlining the tall tower and buildings with delicate tracery of their ornate decorations look down upon an en-

thusiastic crowd every night. A constant stream of people wend their way in and out of the exhibit building, while hands on different parts of the grounds provide enough music for all.

The exhibits in the different buildings are especially fine and attract the attention of the visitors to a marked degree. The Electrical Tower is the source of most flattering encomiums, and together with the floral effects on the grounds, the electric fountains, and canals with their gondolas and gondoliers, combine to impress upon the visitor many marvels of the 20th century.

Commencement Week.

To at least seventeen of our young people, the present week is one of marked significance. It marks a period in their lives toward which they have strived for the past four years, and which will be recalled by them when hundreds of lesser experiences and happenings along life's pathway will have been entirely forgotten.

The exercises opened Sunday afternoon at the Congregational church, when Rev. Arthur Varley delivered the baccalaureate sermon. The address was an able and inspiring one, and set forth lessons that all of our young people whether members of Gould's Academy or not, will do well to read and heed. We give it in substance in this issue.

The church was very prettily decorated with the class colors, evergreen and potted plants, and was filled to the doors, the students attending in a body and occupying a large portion of the seats along the center aisle. The music was furnished by a selected chorus, consisting of our best local talent, led by Dr. Sturdivant.

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LATE LOCALS.

Mrs. Forest Bartlett is in Boston this week.

Ernest Demeritt has returned home on account of illness.

M. L. Thurston and wife were in town Sunday and listened to the baccalaureate sermon.

Remember the concert in Odeon Hall, Monday evening, June 17. Tickets, 35c, 50c, and 75c.

It is never too late to join the Alumni Association. Fifty cents sent to Miss Annie Frye will do it.

Mrs. Gifford, wife of Rev. Addison Gifford, was in Bethel Monday, and went to Massachusetts Tuesday.

The W. C. T. U. met at the Library Tuesday afternoon. Adjourned to meet at the same place in three weeks.

A Children's Day concert will be given by the members of the Congregational Sunday school next Sunday evening.

Miss Emma L. Clough of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Susan Clough, at the home of Mrs. Geo. E. King.

If you have a bit of humor or a news item let us have it, but if your liver is out of order, consult the doctor. We have trouble of our own.

Rev. O. S. Pillsbury has made decided improvements on the lawn about the M. E. parsonage by grading, and setting out flowers, shrubs, etc.

A large amount of hard pine piling has been cut above Mayville, by C. E. Valentine and Eben Kilborn, and is to be used on the new Grand Trunk elevator in Portland.

Tickets for the Chapman concert will be on sale at Wiley's, on and after Friday, June 17. Prices, 50c, and 75c. These seats are not going begging, so if you want good ones, the quicker you get them the better.

The attention of our readers is called to the enormous shipment of harvesting machinery recently made by the Walter A. Wood Co. This shows the demand for their machines. J. U. Purlington, handles their mowers and will be pleased to talk with you.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will hold a Lawn Party on the lawn of Mrs. C. S. Little-nale, Wednesday evening, June 12. Everybody is cordially invited to come and enjoy an ice cream among the stately elms and chat over the events of the week.

Theme for the morning service next Sunday at the Methodist church will be "The Christian Life and Character." Subject for the evening prayer meeting, "A Broken up Prayer meeting and the Man who Broke it up." Five were received into this church by letter, last Sabbath.

When the ball team returned from Norway, Saturday night, it was met at the station by nearly every musician in town, including the Bethel Orchestra and the Bethel Drum Corps. They escorted the team about the village, under the glare of red fire, and to the enlivening strains of a mixed band, while the fireworks set off by one of our enthusiastic citizens, went far toward making the boys forget the rain and other discomforts of the completed ball season, in the knowledge that their efforts are appreciated by the townspeople.

The concert given by the Y. P. S. C. E. was a success despite all efforts of the prevailing weather to the contrary. The date assigned was Friday evening, May 31, and when the hour came it did just as it has been doing since, who can remember when? rained like mad. Quite a goodly number came out, however, and a very pleasant evening, consisting of music, vocal and instrumental, by local talent, and readings by Misses Brightman and Alma Gehring was enjoyed by all present. The committee in charge decided to repeat the program Monday evening, which they did under like unfavorable circumstances. The concert was voted very pleasant and entertaining by those who were fortunate enough to swim out to hear it.

Free Vaccination.

All residents of the town of Bethel may avail themselves of the privileges of the law by calling at the office of the Health officer, Dr. Hill, any day during the month of June, 1901.

Memorial Day.

Another milestone has been reached, and again the surviving members of the Grand Army of the Republic pause anew to retrospect upon the past, to recall their various experiences while tendering themselves as living sacrifices in behalf of their country, to pay their fitting tributes of respect and reverence to those comrades who have been summoned to that great and final roll-call toward which we all are hastening, and to kindle anew in the hearts of the American people and especially in the hearts of the boys and girls, a deeper feeling of patriotism and love for that grand old flag for which they fought so long and well, and which we all should cherish as we cherish our very lives—the "Stars and Stripes."

The veterans were early astir and the forenoon was spent in decorating the graves. Squads were detailed to the various cemeteries, some twenty in number, and the wreath and flag deposited upon the grave of every soldier.

Appropriate exercises consisting of recitations and music by the school children, and remarks by Commander A. H. Hutchinson were held at East Bethel; at Mason a fitting program, consisting of exercises by the children and remarks by Rev. Arthur Varley, was carried out; at Mayville, music was furnished by a selected choir and remarks made by Rev. F. E. Barton and Comrade A. M. True.

But it remained for the Bethel drum corps to kindle the real spirit of the occasion in the hearts of the citizens, when they assembled early in the afternoon in front of Relief Corps hall and played their airs. By the way, this little drum corps, consisting of Gale and Jack Carter, Frank and George King, Frank Robertson and George Bartlett, is all right. The boys are doing marked credit to themselves and deserve due encouragement and support.

At 2 o'clock p. m., the veterans, Woman's Relief Corps, and school children, led by the drum corps, marched to Odeon Hall and listened to an able and soul stirring address by Rev. B. S. Rideout of Norway. To attempt to make an abstract of this discourse would do it an injustice, and hence we will simply say that the address was one of the most able discourses that it has been the lot of Bethel citizens to hear for many a year, and all should have heard it. Several selections were sung by the school children, led by Miss Jane Gibson with Miss Alice French accompanist.

It may be worthy of note that one veteran counted forty-seven comrades upon our street Memorial Day, and those forty-seven men represented twenty-eight different commands in the late rebellion.

A Card of Thanks.

To the many friends and neighbors, who have so kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement, to the Senior class and to the members of the M. I. L., do we extend our heartfelt thanks,—not only for the beautiful flowers, but for the words of sympathy and comfort they have given.

MRS. ELLEN RYERSON.
MR. GEORGE RYERSON.

Some take exceptions to the peacock racket. We are informed that W. R. Chapman's uncle, Gilman Chapman, had a pair of peacocks when he kept store on Heaviest Corner, and lived over his store. They proved such a nuisance in the neighborhood that someone fed them pounded glass, which soon sent them to the happy screeching ground of all good peacocks.

NOTICE.

To the Members of the Bethel Savings Bank:—

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the members of the Bethel Savings Bank Corporation will be held at said Bank on Wednesday, June 12, 1901, at two o'clock p. m., to fill vacancies caused by loss of membership or otherwise; to elect a board of trustees and an investigating committee and to transact any other business and to elect any other necessary bank officers.

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Geo. Briggs is working for Elliott Kimball a few days.

Henry Bugg has bought the Upton place and moved there.

Mrs. Bean and Miss Minnie Wheeler of Mason, visited at Geo. Briggs recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clark of Bolster's Mills, called at C. H. Fernald's, one day last week.

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GOULD'S GETS THE SERIES.

The decisive game of the Oxford Preparatory School League was played at Norway on the afternoon of June 1, between Norway High School and Gould's Academy. Norway had just beaten South Paris and expected to do the same by the Bethel boys, but Gould's was out to win and her eighteen safe hits for a total of twenty-five bases, meant more than the four singles and one double which were all that Norway could get from Upton.

The day was dark and drizzly, making fast playing impossible, but there were innings when both teams played as if they meant business. The crowd was, by all odds, the sauciest and most partisan aggregation ever seen on a ball field, and hooted every decision of the umpires that did not favor Norway. The Norway players themselves are a clean team to meet and Cole was the only one to show any rowdiness when he sprang into the air in an attempt to spike King at the plate in the ninth. Holmes played his first game for Gould's and his two singles and a double were responsible for six of Gould's runs; Maher played well at third, and Richardson at first, while King showed his mettle as the best backstop in the county.

The features of the game were the batting of Holmes, Tuell, and King, three base hits by Upton, Maher, and Richardson and Twaddle's work in spoiling hits by taking two flies in short left field. Upton pitched a steady game allowing only five hits and nine of his four bases on ball effected the score. For Norway, Rich and Cole played the best game.

GOULD'S. AB R TB SH PO A E
Upton, p. 5 2 1 1 0 6 1
King, c. 5 5 3 6 8 6 1
Tuell, 1b. 5 3 1 0 1 1 2
Richardson, 1b. 4 0 2 1 12 2 1
Maher, 3b. 4 0 0 2 8 0 0
Carter, 2b. 4 1 2 2 3 1 0
Twaddle, ss. 5 2 1 4 4 1 1
Holmes, rf. 4 0 3 0 0 0 0
Harvey, lf. 5 0 0 0 0 0 1

Totals, 45 16 18 22 27 16 8
Norway H. S.
Keane, ss. 5 1 0 1 1 0 0
Rich, c. 5 3 1 1 4 1 1
Cole, 1b. 4 1 1 3 9 0 0
Bodkin, 2b. 4 1 1 2 1 1 1
Pike, p. 4 0 1 2 1 1 1
Young, cf. 1 0 0 2 1 0 0
Hayes, lf. 3 1 0 0 2 0 2
Finney, 3b. 4 0 0 0 3 1 0
Gammom, rf. 3 0 1 1 2 0 0

Totals, 33 7 5 10 27 6 4
Bases on balls: by Upton, Young 3; Cole, by Pike, King; by Bodkin, Carter, Twaddle; by Rich, Holmes, Tuell. Two-base hit, Holmes, Cole. Three-base hit, Upton, Maher, Richardson. Hit by pitched ball: by Upton, Gammom; by Pike, Upton; by Rich, Carter. Struck out: by Upton, Keane 2, Cole, Bodkin, Young, Hayes, Finney 2; by Bodkin, Twaddle, Harvey; by Rich, Twaddle, Harvey 2. Passed balls, King, Young, Wild pitch, Bodkin, Rich, Upton. Time of game, 1 h. 50 m. Umpires, Rogers and Dyer. Scorers, Carlson and Trask.

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Gould's Academy, Won 3 Lost Played Pct.
South Paris High, 2 1 4 .750
Norway High, 1 3 4 .250

Gould's 2—Andover 0.

The G. A. ball team played at Andover, Memorial Day, against the Andover nine, and won by a score of 2 to 0. It was one of the best games ever witnessed in this part of the State, and one of which both teams should be proud. There were only four errors in the entire game, and the fielding was something good to see. This can be best shown by Gould's by the fact that Dyer only struck out two men and still the team managed nine shut-outs for Andover. Dyer's work in the box was superb. His cool composure and calm shifting from the slow straight balls to

the quick curves was something the Andover team could not comprehend. He kept the hits very well scattered. Upton and King did good work at the bat and on base running, Upton obtaining both the scores made. The Andover team was strong all around, Twichell making their only error and that not a costly one. The G. A. boys were hospitably entertained and enjoyed themselves very much, especially the reception that they received on arriving home.

GOULD'S. AB R TB SH PO A E
Upton, 3b. 4 2 2 1 5 0 0
King, c. 4 0 1 0 3 4 0
Tuell, 2b. 3 0 1 0 1 1 2
Richardson, 1b. 4 0 2 1 12 2 1
Dyer, p. 4 0 0 2 8 0 0
Maher, rf. 4 0 1 0 1 0 0
Twaddle, ss. 2 0 0 1 1 0 0
Harvey, lf. 4 0 0 1 1 0 0
Watson, cf. 3 0 0 0 1 0 0

Totals, 32 2 7 2 27 14 3
ANDOVER.
McAllister, sr. 4 0 2 0 1 1 0
Thomas, 1b. 4 0 0 0 9 0 0
Taylor, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Newton, c. 4 0 1 1 12 2 0
Marston, lf. 3 0 1 0 1 0 0
French, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Russell, cf. 4 0 0 0 1 0 0
Mills, p. 3 0 1 0 1 0 0
Twitchell, 2b. 3 0 0 0 3 4 1

Totals, 31 0 5 2 27 11 1
Bases on balls: by Dyer, Marston, Russell; by Mills, Tuell, Twaddle 2; Watson. Two-base hit: Richardson. Double plays, King and Upton, Twichell and Thomas. Wild pitch, Dyer. Struck out: by Dyer, Taylor, Twichell, by Mills, Upton, Tuell, Maher 2, Twaddle, Harvey 4, Watson 2. Left on bases G. A. 7, Andover 6. Time of game, 1 hr. 15 m. Umpire, Small.

EAST BETHEL.

Mr. H. Fifield from Paris is visiting at G. K. Hastings'.

Mrs. Etta Brown from Milton spent the past week with relatives in this place.

Mrs. J. L. Holt has had a new hard wood floor laid, also the front halls and a number of rooms newly papered.

A detail from Brown Post and the school children observed Memorial Day by exercises in the church, after which the soldiers' graves were decorated with wreaths and flowers.

Mr. D. W. Lovett from Newton Theological Seminary, Massachusetts, will hold services in the church in this place, June 9, at 10:30 a. m., also in the church at Middle Intervale at 2:30 p. m., and each following Sabbath during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean returned from Washington, D. C., the 27th. Mr. Bean has sold his business at that place and will make his home here. He has purchased the Z. H. Bean farm, and is soon to make extensive repairs on the buildings.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our relatives, neighbors, and friends for their kindly assistance in our great sorrow which we have been called to pass through, the sickness and death of our dear son and brother; also for the beautiful flowers with which they so kindly remembered us, and the tender words of sympathy spoken at the last sad services.

MR. AND MRS. A. F. BROOKS.
MYRTLE E. BROOKS.

The Best of All.

Everyone who has used Baxter's Mandrake Bitters as a spring remedy, or for constipation, biliousness, foul stomach, sick headache, impure blood, pronounces it the "best of all medicine" for those ailments. If you have not used it, ask some of your friends about it; the chances are that the first person you ask will tell you that there is no medicine so good for them as Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. Get it at any drug store for 25 cents. Guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected. The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker. Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

Hood's Sarsaparilla
which strengthens the whole digestive system

WEST BETHEL.

"Within my quiet chamber floats
A slumbrous breath of roses,
And in the softly shaded room,
Silence itself reposes;
And liquid lustrous on the wall,
Cool, rippling waves resemble,
As to and fro, with motion slow,
The leafy shadows tremble.

A sense of silence and repose—
Of slow and tranquil motion,
A murmur, as of sleeping winds
Upon a sleeping ocean;
And softly o'er my senses steals
A luxury Elysian:
And all delights of drowsy sense
Are mingled in my violin."

How rapidly the months glide away!

Sunshine and summer will soon come.

Mrs. Minnie E. Mason visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wheeler, last week.

A. J. Haskell is digging a cellar on the spot where he intends to erect a new store.

Fred McLeod has purchased a large carriage for carrying workmen and pleasure parties.

The mill of Merrill, Springer & Co. starts up this week to finish the sawing of bolts before the lathes are in operation.

It is not thought possible at the present time, that the hay crop can suffer much from drouth this year if harvested in July.

J. P. Eastman of South Framingham, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. E. Mason, and enjoying a vacation with old friends.

Farmers are this week planting potatoes and sowing oats where the ground is not too wet, but many plowed fields are beds of soft mud.

"Billie" Garman called on many old acquaintances in this village and near vicinity Friday, after an absence of twenty-four years, during which time he has twice been around the world.

GRAFTON.

G. A. Otis was in Bethel recently. Aldana Brooks of Upton was at O. W. Brooks', Saturday.

O. B. Dodge visited friends in town, Saturday and Sunday.

A. M. Otis is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Otis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Andover called on friends in town Sunday. Sadie McPherson is helping Mrs. A. W. Farrar, for a few days.

Ernest Tame has finished work for Mrs. Brown and is now helping Geo. Otis.

Manley Blanchard of Rumford Falls and Everett LeBarron of Mexico were at Mrs. N. M. Brown's Thursday and Friday.

Ernest S. Wood and V. D. Lowe of Randolph, N. H., and Frank Mansfield of Massachusetts have been at Mrs. A. W. Farrar's. Saturday, accompanied by A. L. Farrar, they went to C Pond, and Monday started on their return home.

The deepest sympathy is felt for the family of Bert Brooks, who passed away, Saturday afternoon, at the home of his father, A. F. Brooks. He has been ill for several months, but failed very rapidly the last two weeks of his illness. The funeral was held at one o'clock, Monday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Congdon of Newry Corner officiating.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fernald*

It Is Guaranteed

If You are Weak,
Nervous,
Irritable,
Dyspeptic,
Can't Sleep or Eat,

TO BENEFIT YOU
SMITH'S
GREEN MOUNTAIN
RENOVATOR

And will cure you.
Ask your druggist for Renovator. 50 cents and one dollar. Write St. Albans Remedy Company, St. Albans, Vt., about GUARANTEE and TESTIMONIALS. Mention this paper.

HAMMOCKS, All Kinds, All Prices.

Lawn Swings, Carriage Umbrellas, Sponges, Chamois, Lap Robes, Trunks and Bags.

YOUNG'S Harness Store

Believing that only a few people in this town and County realize what a tremendous line of

FOOTWEAR!

we carry, we take this opportunity to tell you about some of our Leading Lines, hoping you will read this carefully and keep it for future reference. We have not time or space to tell you about our whole stock, but we do want to call attention to some of our leading lines.

In the first place we will speak of

Our Men's Goods

Our Best Goods are the

FITZU

in Valour Calf, Ox-blood, Russia Calf, Enamel, Patent Leather and Vici Kid, in both Bals and Oxfords, price \$3.50. These are the best goods ever sold in this town at any price. Next in price comes our \$3.00 goods. We have them in Russia Calf, Ox-blood, Valour Calf, Kangaroo, Superb Kid and Patent Leather. And Reinder. Next in price is \$2.00, and we have these goods in all kinds of stock and all styles. And the best line of \$1.50 and \$1.25 goods ever shown in town. We also carry all kinds of Heavy Working Shoes, all grades from \$1.25 to \$3.00 the line of Boys', Youths' and Little Gents' Footwear.

Now we will speak of

Our Ladies' Goods

In the \$3.50 grade we have the

SOROSIS AND FITZU

and they are the very best goods on the market to-day for the price. Next in price is our \$3.00 line, and you never saw better goods for that money. We have the above lines in both Welt and Hand Turned. And our \$2.50 line is as good as very best that can be bought for that price. Oxford Ties—we have them for \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, all styles all kinds of stock. And bear in mind we have all styles and prices for Misses and Children.

To sum up the whole matter, we carry all kinds of Footwear for all kinds of feet. We are always on the lookout for all the new things in our line. We are determined to be leaders in this line. We carry the largest stock in the County and one of the largest in the State.

We also have an elegant line of

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

We can please you on these goods.

And now a word in regard to Prices. Our prices always have been, are now and always will be as low as the lowest. We will not be undersold. And one thing more, please do not forget we have one price and only one. We use all alike and everybody right. We always pay money back if you want it. In short, we whether you wish to buy or not. We are always glad to have a chance to show our goods and tell you the prices. Our store is open Monday and Saturday evenings. Closes other nights at 6.15. Please come and see us.

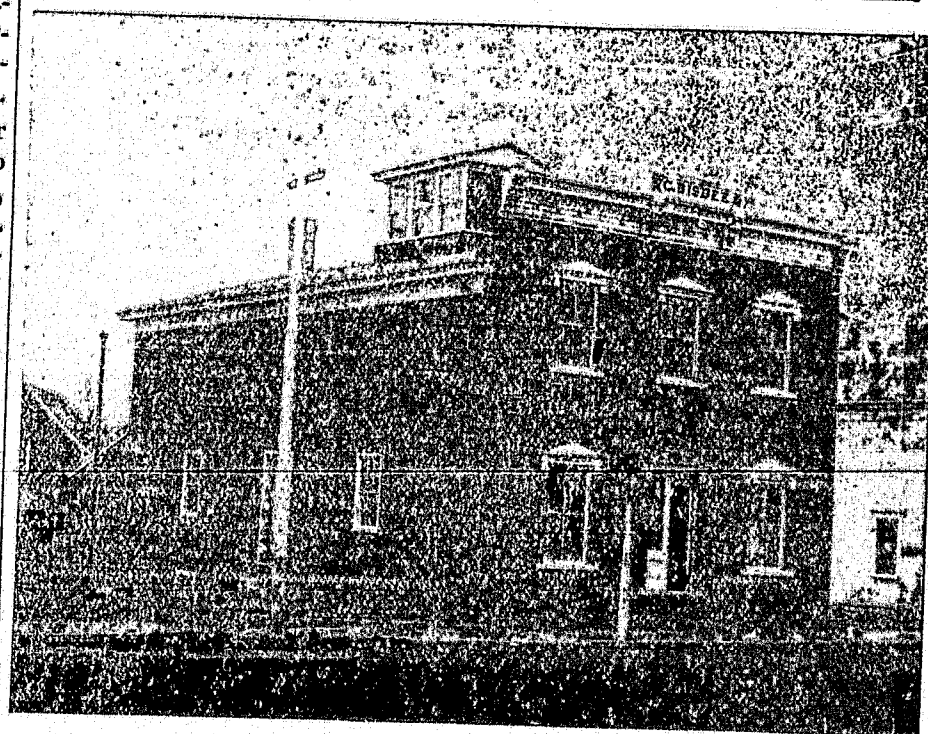
Yours truly,

...Smiley Shoe Store,...

Norway Maine.

E. N. Swett, Manager,

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Wholesale and Retail

Flour, Grain and Feed

Salesdays every day in the week.
(Sundays excepted)

MAIN STREET,

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The Time

is here for Shirt Waists

We are giving a great deal of time to this department as nearly every woman wants a shirt waist.

For Common Waists look at these we sell for 42c, 50c and 75c.

For finer wear, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Both white and colored.

When you buy a shirt waist you get something useful, stylish and comfortable.

Thomas Smiley,

Norway, Maine,

LATEST STYLES

Hats, Bonnets, AND Novelties,

AT

Mrs. E. J. HOWE'S,

So. Paris, . . . Me.

We endeavor to secure and sell only such goods as are reliable.

This is why we guarantee absolute satisfaction to our customers.

Cole's Jewelry Store,
NORWAY, Me.

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TABLETS

Are the Best Remedy for Colds, Headache and Grippe. They break up a cold quickly, move the bowels gently, carrying off fever and other poisonous matter from the system. Guaranteed to cure. Try them. 25 cents. For sale by
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Rubber and Leather Cement.Sole Leather by the side.
Crocheted Slipper Soles.

Repairing promptly attended to.

E. E. RANDALL,
MAIN ST., BETHEL, ME.

Notice to Farmers.

A contract has been made with
the H. F. Webb Co. to run the
corn shop at Bethel for the coming
season if sufficient acreage can
be secured.By order,
S. B. TWITCHELL, for town.RISO'S CURE FOR
CURES WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS
Best Cough Syrup. Cures Croup.
In time. Sold by druggists.

CONSUMPTION

SOUTH PARIS NEWS.

Local and Personal Items From
Our Shire Town.Miss Grace Murphy returned to
Cambridge Saturday.The blossoms on all the trees
are past; they were very plentiful.Mrs. Winfield Starbird has gone
to Palmray, to see her sister who is
quite ill.Supt. Harry Morton of the Paris
Mfg. Co. went fishing at the Lakes
a few days last week.Mr. L. Pierpont Gerrish, former
principal of the High School, was
in town Memorial Day.Mr. P. W. Curtis went fishing
one day this week and brought
home a fine string of trout.Quite a number of carpenters
are going to Rumford Falls this
week to work for Mr. Ethan Willis.The weather has been unusually
wet this spring. The water is very
high in all the ponds and streams.Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brett and
his brother, Mr. Heman, and
wife, all went to South Arm Mon-
day, for a few days fishing.Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Titcomb
have gone to Rumford Falls to
open a boarding house to accom-
modate the workmen of Mr. E.
Willis.Mr. Percy Lowell has moved
his family from the Spofford
House on Church street to the
house of Mr. W. H. Robinson on
Pine street."The Chronicle" has been issued
by the students of the High
School. It is very interesting and
anyone interested in the school
should purchase one.Thursday evening Col. C. H.
French of Chicago, gave his illus-
trated lecture on "Cuba," and "The
Klondike," for the benefit of the
G. A. R. Relief Corps.The S. P. H. S. base-ball team
has been successful this week.
They played the Mechanic Falls
at that place Thursday, bringing
home a score of 4 to 3. Saturday
they went to Bridgton and defeat-
ed the Academy team by a score
of 5 to 4.Mr. Chas. Thayer, an employee
of the Paris Mfg. Co., injured his
eye last Wednesday. While
breaking a dowel a piece of the
wood struck his eye, and at first it
was thought he would lose the
sight of it. He is now in the hos-
pital at Portland and reports are
favorable.

GROVER HILL.

L. A. Sawin and son Holden
were on Grover Hill, this week.Winifred Browne and Florence
Browne were at Marion Bennett's,
Sunday.Fred Wheeler has been sick with
a sore throat.W. M. Browne has been selling
some of his hay.Clyde Whitman has a new
wheel.

A WORTHY SUCCESSOR.

"Something New Under the Sun."

All Doctors have tried to cure CATARRH by the use of powders, acid
gases, inhalers and drugs in paste form.
Their powders dry up the mucous mem-
branes causing them to crack open and
bleed. The powerful acids used in the
inhalers have eaten away the same
membranes that their makers have aim-
ed to cure, while pastes and ointments
cannot reach the disease. An old and
experienced practitioner who has for
many years made a close study and
specialty of the treatment of CATARRH,
has at last perfected a Treatment which
when faithfully used, not only relieves
at once, but permanently cures CATARRH
by removing the cause, stopping
the discharges, and curing all inflam-
mation. It is the only remedy known
to science that actually reaches the af-
fected parts. This wonderful remedy is
known as "SNUFFLES" the GUARANTEED
CATARRH CURE, and is sold at the ex-
traordinary low price of One Dollar, each
package containing internal and external
medicine sufficient for a full month's
treatment and everything necessary to
perfect its use."SNUFFLES" is the only perfect CATARRH
cure ever made and is now rec-
ognized as the only safe and positive
cure for that annoying and disgusting
disease. It cures all inflammation quick-
ly and permanently and is also won-
derfully quick to relieve Hay Fever
or Cold in the Head.CATARRH when neglected often leads
to Consumption—"SNUFFLES" will save
you if you use it at once. It is no ordi-
nary remedy, but a complete treatment
which is positively guaranteed to cure
CATARRH in any form or stage if used ac-
cording to the directions which accom-
pany each package. Don't delay but
send for it at once, and write full par-
ticulars as to your condition, and you
will receive special advice from the dis-
tinguished expert who has perfected this
cure. Your case without cost beyond the
price of "SNUFFLES" the "Guaranteed
CATARRH Cure."Sent prepaid to any address in the
United States or Canada on receipt of
One Dollar. Address: Dept. A 751,
EDWIN B. GILES & COMPANY, 2830
and 2832 Market Street, Philadelphia.

DOCTORS

say "Consumption can be cured."
Nature alone won't do it. It needs
help. Doctors say"Scott's Emulsion
is the best help." But you must
continue its use even in hot
weather.If you have not tried it, send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
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50c and \$1.00; all druggists.

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RUMFORD FALLS.

Harry Jordan spent Memorial
Day at Mechanic Falls.Mrs. Mary Small is visiting her
daughter, Mrs. E. Small, on Main
Avenue.R. L. Virgin and Elmer Howe
were at Middle Dam last week,
where they had excellent success
fishing.Hotel Rumford is being renovat-
ed. The parlor has been greatly
improved in appearance, and the
greater part of the house will re-
ceive new paint and paper.R. V. Reed of Richmond, a regis-
tered pharmacist who has recently
passed the board of registration,
is now clerking for A. Z. Cates.
He has worked his way up in the
world to his present position.The Rumford Falls Power Co.
will build fifteen brick houses this
season. Five will be built by con-
tract and the other ten will be
built under the direction of a fore-
man hired by the Power Co.Hon. John P. Swasey, accom-
panied by his wife and daughter
Minnie, started Thursday noon to
visit the Annapolis, Md., Military
Academy of which Mr. Swasey is
one of the board of visitors ap-
pointed by the president. They
will visit at points along the
route.

MASON.

John Barker and Geo. Stearns of
Bethel were in town the past
week.Milford Brown and Charles Has-
kell have hired with Arthur Tyler
to work in the woods, and they
will camp near their work.Arthur Tyler has taken 300
cords of spruce and hemlock to
peel and put on the river for Has-
tings Bros. of Bethel.J. Hastings Bean, Register of
Deeds, and wife of South Paris,
spent several days in town the
past week, calling on old neigh-
bors.Benjamin Skillings, deputy
sheriff of Otisfield, visited at Ar-
thur Tyler's, the past week. He
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at F. I. Bean's mill, weighing one-
half pound each.Owing to the rainy weather the
services Memorial Day were held
in the church. A delegation from
Brown Post G. A. R. of Bethel,
were present with Rev. Arthur
Varley, who gave us a very pleas-
ing address. The scholars of this
town with some from North Al-
bany, gave us several recitations,
and the music was very good and
well rendered.

WILL EFFECT A CURE

Marshall, Mich., April 5, 1900
Sanitarium City Electrical Co.Gentlemen—Having had a very serious
illness with inflammatory rheuma-
tism for nearly a year past, and having
received no benefit from the many medi-
cines I had used, and on the persuasion
of a friend who had used one of your
belts for rheumatism, I purchased one
of your belts and have worn it for the
past two months, from which I have re-
ceived more benefit and relief than at
any previous time, and feel confident
that the continued use will wholly cure
me in a short time.For illustrated circular, terms, etc., ad-
dress Sanitarium City Electrical Co.,
Battle Creek, Mich.To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine
Tablets. All druggists refund the
money if it fails to cure. E. W.
Grove's signature is on each box.
25c. Aug 22/01

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other town, assisted by parents and
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county was held last evening at
Beal's Hotel, Norway. Judge A.
E. Herriek was reelected president,
and Frank Kimball, of Norway,
secretary. A very enjoyable meet-
ing is reported. The next meet-
ing will be held on the second Tues-
day of March at So. Paris.Stops the Cough and Works off the
Cold.Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
cure a cold in one day. No Cure,
No Pay. Price 25 cents. 15 Aug 22

NORTH NEWRY.

The News as Gathered by Our Reg-
ular Correspondent.Willie Walker is putting up a
steam mill on Branch Brook.Mrs. Isaac Kilgore, who was
very sick, is slowly improving.Ray Thurston and Hollis Cool-
idge are farming for Eli Stearns.Mr. David Vail has moved his
family into Mr. L. M. Blanchard's
house.The people of North Newry are
pleased to hear that Mrs. Congdon
is improving.Mr. Jackson and niece of Rum-
ford Falls, have been visiting at
M. E. Rowe's.Herbert Chapman's children,
who have been very sick, are able
to be out again.Mrs. W. D. Kilgore and Mrs. H.
F. Thurston went to Rumford
Falls last Friday.There was a dance at Mr. Will
Small's last Saturday night, and
all report a good time.Mr. Austin Powers, who has
been very sick, is so far improved
as to be able to ride out.Mrs. Vail, Fannie Kilgore and
sister Verna, went to Grafton last
Sunday, to call on Bert Brooks.Mr. Horatio Wight and wife visit-
ed Mrs. Wight's brother, Mr.
Amos King, at Swan's Corner last
Sunday.Mr. and Mrs. Hapgood and lit-
tle daughter of Waterford, are
visiting Mrs. Hapgood's mother,
Mrs. Fannie Widbur.Mr. F. E. Monroe is working for
John Carlton, repairing the ferry-
boat in Hanover, which he has
charge of during the summer.Mr. Charles Bennett and wife of
Errol, N. H., who have been visit-
ing his brother, F. C. Bennett,
have returned home. Mr. Ben-
nett has sold his residence in
Errol, and intends moving to Po-
land the first of July, where he
has purchased a farm.The Ladies' Sewing Circle of No.
Newry, met at Eames Hall last
Thursday afternoon. All enjoyed
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A GIRL MERCHANT.

fruits that grow in abundance near by. The children look very pretty in their simple dresses, which are mostly of bright colors. They carry their baskets of fruit balanced on their heads, as shown in the picture.—W. Schmiedgen in Chicago Record.

Women Must Sleep.

Avoid Nervous Prostration.
If you are dangerously sick what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well. You ought to know that when you ceased to be regular in your courses, grow irritable without cause, and pass sleepless nights, there is serious



Mrs. HARTLEY.

trouble somewhere, and nervous prostration is sure to follow. You ought to know that indigestion, exhaustion, womb displacements, fainting, dizziness, headache, and backache send the nerves wild with affright, and you cannot sleep. Mrs. Hartley, of 221 W. Congress St., Chicago, Ill., whose portrait we publish, suffered all these agonies, and was entirely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; her case should be a warning to others, and her cure carry conviction to the minds of every suffering woman of the unfailing efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

MATRON AND MAID.

Miss Anna Lyle has just completed 50 years of teaching in the Philadelphia public schools, 41 years of that period as principal of a primary school. Dr. Grace F. Robinson is the first woman in Australia to become a graduate of a medical school. She has just received her diploma from Snyder university.

Adelaide Ristori, the actress, widow of the Marquis del Grillo, is engaged to be married to the Senator Casana, mayor of Turin. Mme. Ristori is 51 years of age.

Mrs. Arthur Bronson, who died in Italy the other day, was a granddaughter of Joseph Rodman Drake, the American poet and a lifelong friend of the Brownings.

Three women members of the Town Improvement association have been appointed as park commissioners in Skowhegan, Me. They are Mrs. L. W. Weston, Mrs. George Page and Mrs. B. F. Eaton.

The death is announced in Paris of the Marquise de Galliffet, wife of the ex-minister of war. Mme. de Galliffet was grandniece of the banker M. Jacques Laffitte and, with Mme. de Fourtales, was an intimate friend of the Empress Eugenie.

Mrs. James Little, who lives near Atchison, Kan., who was herself a twin and whose husband was a twin and the son of a twin, has given birth to her second pair of twins, the first pair being about 18 months old when the second pair made its appearance.

With the end of this school year two of the oldest teachers of the Minneapolis public schools will retire. Miss Anna M. Browne will have completed 25 years' service and Mrs. Martha M. Burdick 20. The former has been a principal for 13 years and the latter for 20.

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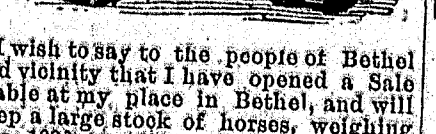


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When You Were Sweet Sixteen,
When the Harvest days are over,
Bird in a Gilded Cage,
She Rests by the Sawnee River.
Sing me a Song of the Sunny South,
The Old Postmaster,
A Mother's Love,
Say you Love me Sue,
Fatal Rose of Red.
I wonder if She's Waiting,
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What is Home without Love,
My Heart's tonight in Texas,
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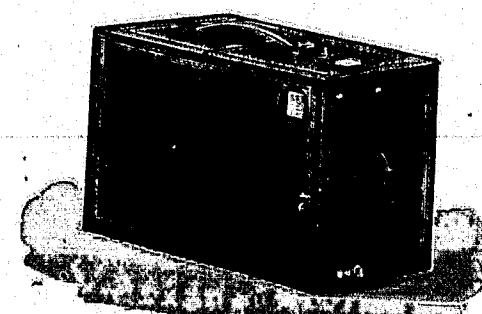
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TRAINS GOING EAST.			
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Island Pond, leave,	1.50	5.55	1.15
Gorham,	3.40	8.10	3.03
Gilead,	...	8.20	3.21
West Bethel,	...	8.38	3.31
BETHEL, arrive,	4.20	8.45	3.39
Bryant Pond,	4.54	9.02	3.55
South Paris,	5.02	9.32	4.20
Lewiston,	6.00	10.30	5.05
Portland,	6.40	11.15	5.45

TRAINS GOING WEST.			
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Portland, leave,	3.15	1.30	8.30
Lewiston,	9.00	2.30	9.20
South Paris,	10.00	3.38	10.15
Bryant Pond,	10.28	4.20	10.45
BETHEL, arrive,	10.46	4.38	11.03
West Bethel,	10.54	4.46	11.10
Gilead,	11.05	4.57	11.22
Gorham,	11.33	5.40	11.50
Island Pond,	1.30	7.50	1.50

The train which leaves Island Pond at 1.50 A. M., and the one which leaves Portland at 3.30 P. M., run every day; all others every day except Sunday.

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BEARS AND BEAVERS IN FRANCE.
Both bears and beavers still exist in France, although they are very scarce. Bears chiefly haunt the primeval forest of Combe d'Ire, Lake Annecy, in the Alps. During the summer they stay far up in the mountains and come down to lower levels only when the snows cover the wild fruits on which they feast. Another of their haunts is the forest of Doussard. From 1887 to 1893 only nine bears were killed in France. The French bear is very large and powerful, with reddish-gray fur. The beaver is also found in France, almost exclusively along the Rhone river. Very few of them are left, but steps have been taken to preserve them from extermination.

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The exhibits of nursery stock, including orchard and ornamental trees, shrubs and evergreens, will be unquestionably among the finest, if not the finest, ever made. The most prominent nurserymen in the country have interested themselves and will aim to outdo any former show of the kind. No less interest is taken by the leading florists, who are arranging exceptionally fine displays. Many large beds of flowers were planted some months ago, and they will aid in beautifying the scene from the early days of the Exposition.

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you have gained thus far—yet in the true sense of my text you will leave it behind—and make the future yield to you all that the future will yield to the soul of strong determination of deep faith and lofty purposes. Though the world is better it never needed loyal men and true women as it needs them now. The world was never so full of light and hope and opportunity and possibility as it is now. To all this you will press on with all the strength and vigor and enthusiasm of your youthful souls. If you are what I take you to be you will be true to your class motto "Row not drift." For drifting means a purposeless life; it means going backward, settling on the things behind. That means stagnation, paralysis, death. Rowing means working, struggling, achieving. That means life, happiness, victory. The great difference between your past life and your future life is this. In the past the public conscience, public money, interested parents, and well-trained, sympathetic and helpful teachers have done all that could be done to fit you to live, to fit you to meet life, assume its burdens and its responsibilities. The future is your chance to show your appreciation. Remember that it has taken six thousand years of the best thought and interest that God could stir up in human souls to make this day possible to you.

The future is your chance to show how deep your gratitude runs. Make no promises now, but to this community and to the world wherever you go, let your lives bear testimony to your spirit and your purposes. Let me emphasize another fact for it is the one of supreme importance in this discussion. The great central fact of our existence is God. Fix that fact deep in your soul, for there, lies your only safety; without that your lives will be total failures whatever else their accomplishments. Thoroughly entrench this fact in your soul and the ignorant and incomplete philosophies of men may roll against you, but they cannot move you. They may mystify but they cannot overwhelm you. Perhaps it would be well to read the whole of Paul's statement—"But one thing I do, forgetting the things which are behind, and stretching forward to the things which are before, I press on toward the goal unto the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." This must be your supreme purpose, your greatest ideal, for out of that alone, can come the most commendable sacrifice, and the greatest, most unselfish service that you can render to your fellowmen.

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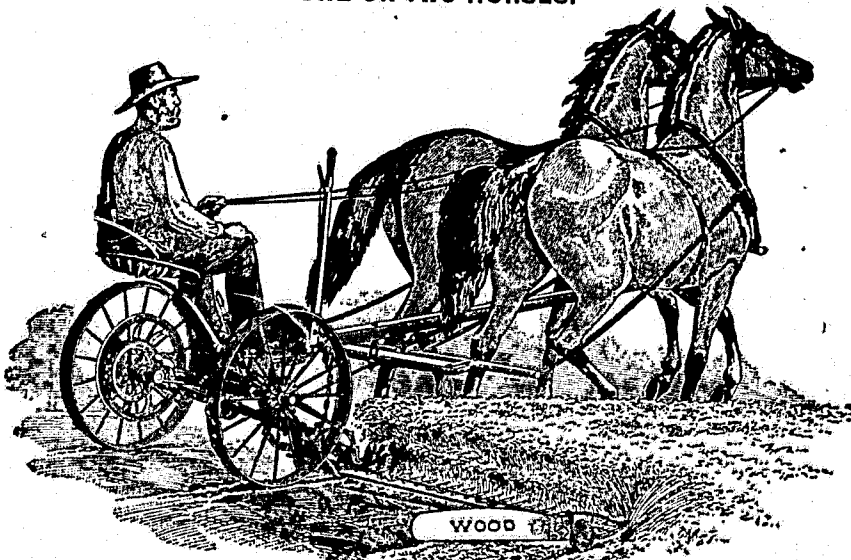
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Bethel Grange W. M.; Bertha Barker, Sec. Me day at two o'clock Sudbury Col. C. Billings, Gov. S. Kilborn, Treas third Monday of Bethel Lodge, C. O. Foster, C. F. J. Tyler, F. Treas. Meets Tuesday in each Brown Post, N. A. H. Hutchins the first and th month at 7:30 p. Brown Post, W. E. Burnham, Pres hale, Sec; Miss A. Meets the first an each month.

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Ladies' Club, Con Mrs. F. S. Chandler; Foster; Sec. Mrs. E Treas. Mrs. F. B. Tu day afternoon.

Ladies' Circle, Unl A. Pratt, Pres.; Mrs. Pres.; Mrs. L. B. H. E. C. Rowe, Treas. afternoon.

Ladies' Church Al dist—Mrs. Alice Jord Bisbee, Vice Pres.; Sec.; Mrs. W. D. Hast Columbian Club—M Free; Miss Annie M. T. F. Hastings, Treas

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